I am a new subscriber to XM satellite, and it is the kind of service that you use and wonder how you ever functioned without it. In particular, I love having one-touch access to traffic and weather for Orlando, without the irritating advertisements of regular FM and AM stations. XM has provided a service that is truly an innovative addition to the communications market, which is why I am not surprised that the National Association of Broadcasters is upset. Their product cannot compete with XM in a fair market (because it is inferior), and their only recourse is to use the government to stay competitive.

I respectfully urge the FCC to reject NAB's petition 04-160 and to support XM's abilty to work within a fair and "free" market.